

# THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BAND

WASHINGTON, D.C.

## *Colonel George S. Howard Young Artist Competition* *2013 competition for woodwinds*

### • PRIZE

Winner will perform as a soloist with The USAF Band during the 2013 Guest Artist Series at DAR Constitution Hall, Washington, D.C.

### • WHO CAN ENTER?

The 2013 United States Air Force Band Young Artist Competition is open to high school woodwind instrumentalists in grades 9-12 who are **citizens or legal permanent residents of the United States**. The 2014 competition will be open to brass and percussion players.

### REQUIRED REPERTOIRE:

<b>FLUTE</b>	Cecile Chaminade – <i>Concertino for Flute and Piano, Op. 107</i>
<b>OBOE</b>	W. A. Mozart – <i>Oboe Quartet, K. 370, Mvt. I</i>
<b>CLARINET</b>	Carl Maria von Weber – <i>Concerto No. 2 in E-flat Major, Op. 74, Mvt. III</i>
<b>BASSOON</b>	W. A. Mozart – <i>Concerto in B-flat, K. 191, Mvt. I (with cadenza of choice)</i>
<b>ALTO SAXOPHONE</b>	Jacques Ibert – <i>Concertino, Mvt. II, Larghetto - Animato</i>

### APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### Preliminary Round Requirements:

1. Compact disc recording of applicant performing required selection in its entirety without cuts with accompaniment.
2. Typewritten letter with applicant's name, instrument, address with zip code, telephone number, school, grade, email address and statement (signed by a parent) agreeing to appear at the Washington, D.C. finals at the applicant's expense. Air travel and lodging (if required) will be provided to the winner and a chaperone for the winner's appearance with The United States Air Force Band.
3. Previous winners are ineligible.

### **AUDIO RECORDING & LETTER (IN ONE PACKAGE) MUST BE RECEIVED BY** **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2012**

**SEND PACKAGE TO:** TSgt David Rosengaft  
The United States Air Force Band/BABB  
201 McChord St.  
Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, DC 20032-0202  
(Recordings will be returned if a postage paid, self-addressed mailer is included.)

Final round invitation letters will be mailed by December 1, 2012. The final round will be held Thursday afternoon, January 17, 2013 in Washington, D.C. All finalists must perform with piano accompaniment. Local accompanist is available for hire.

Winner will perform with The United States Air Force Band in February or March 2013.

For further information, call (202) 404-8363 or e-mail [youngartist@afncr.af.mil](mailto:youngartist@afncr.af.mil)

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